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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE PATENT            Michael M. TSO  
APPLICATION OF:  
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    ART UNIT :         3693  
    EXAMINER         THU THAO HAVAN  
    FOR:                USING CURRENCY TO PURCHASE FROM SELLERS THAT DO NOT RECOGNIZE THE  
                             CURRENCY

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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed February 26, 2008, Applicant presents the Remarks beginning on page 15 of this Paper:

For the convenience of the Examiner, a full listing of the pending claims is provided beginning on page 2 of this Paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 033975 (Ref. No. **031792-0311533**).